

Notice of Availability

The U.S. Air Force announces the availability of the Proposed Plan for SS109 – F-22 Weapons Release Shop, Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson (JBER), Alaska

SS109 is the location of general aircraft operations and maintenance at the F-22 Weapons Release Shop (Building 16718) and Hangar 15 (Building 16716) where trichloroethylene (TCE), an industrial solvent, was identified in soil. The January 2022 Proposed Plan summarizes previous investigations and interim environmental response actions and presents the preferred alternative for site cleanup. In accordance with the federal Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act and with oversight by the US Environmental Protection Agency and Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation, the Proposed Plan identifies land use controls (LUCs), and long-term monitoring (LTM) of volatiles in soil gas and indoor air as well as continued off-site treatment of a ventilated stockpile (VSP) for solventcontaminated soil as the Preferred Alternative for SS109 and provides the rationale for this preference.

The Proposed Plan for SS109 is summarized online at https://restorationpublic.com/SS109proposedplan.

Documents are available to the public at:

Alaska Resources Library and Information Services (ARLIS) 3211 Providence Road Anchorage, AK 99508

And online at https://ar.afcec-cloud.af.mil/ Search.aspx (filed under Elmendorf AFB, AK).

The U.S. Air Force will accept written comments on the Proposed Plan during the public comment period from January 21 to February 20, 2022. Comments and questions can be submitted to the JBER Public Affairs Office at jber.pa@us.af.mil.